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SUBJECT: SECURITY FOR PRIME MINISTER THORN

1. US SECRET SERVICE HAS COMMUNICATED WITH DEPARTMENT IN CONNECTION WITH PRIME MINISTER THORN'S FORTHCOMING ROLE AS UNGA PRESIDENT. SECRET SERVICE HAS STATUTORY REQUIREMENT TO PROTECT ALL HEADS OF GOVERNMENT VISITING US. LIKELY DURATION OF THORN STAY IN NEW YORK, ABOUT THREE MONTHS, WOULD ENTAIL UNUSUALLY LONG COMMITMENT OF PROTECTIVE DETAIL. WHILE SECRET SERVICE IS OF COURSE WILLING TO UNDERTAKE SUCH COMMITMENT, WE BELIEVE IT ADVISABLE FOR EMBASSY TO INQUIRE DISCREETLY AS TO WHETHER THORN WISHES SUCH PROTECTION. SHOULD HE DECIDE THAT HE DOES NOT, HE WOULD HAVE TO SIGN FORMAL LETTER WAIVING RIGHT TO SECRET SERVICE PROTECTION. KISSINGER

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